The Patriot Corps Pledge To Restore Our American Republic

Whereas, in their 1766 Declaratory Act, the British Government claimed the absolute Power to bind the American Colonies "in all cases whatsoever," without the colonists' consent and against their will; Whereas, Patriotic Americans in our 1776 Declaration of Independence mutually pledged their Lives, their Fortunes, and their Sacred Honor in bold Defiance against such Tyranny; and Whereas, federal servants today deceptively extend their delegated Power to act "in all Cases whatsoever" for the District Seat instead beyond the District's borders; Therefore, We the undersigned Patriots, in order to Restore our American Republic, Reclaim precious Liberty, and Retrieve lost Justice, continue to seek lawful Remedy from this wholly-inappropriate Power which has deceptively been substituted for our Republican Form of Government guaranteed each State under Article IV, Section 4 of the U.S. Constitution.

Over succeeding Generations, Government Servants have again:

— Endeavored to become our political Masters, by enlarging the Sphere of their Influence to extend their Positions of Power;

— Ignored our Pleas, violated their sacred Oaths, and think Themselves above the Law, becoming the principal Threat to our Rights and greatest Danger to our Property;

— Striven to circumvent their only legitimate Source of Authority, the whole of the Constitution for the United States of America, founded upon the Ideals declared in our Declaration of Independence;

— Sought to diminish our Republican Form of Government, by delegating legislative Authority to unelected Officials who promulgate Regulations without fair Recourse at the ballot Box;

— All but abolished our lawful Money of Gold and Silver Coin and flooded the Country with an irredeemable Currency which confiscates productive Capital, impoverishes independent Citizens and enslaves our Young;

— Borrowed Money at levels unprecedented in our History and unsustainable for our Future;

— Sought to disarm free Citizens, as if America's greatest Resource, her People and their love of Liberty, was her greatest Liability;

— Acted against the long-term Interests of our Country, by sacrificing our Sovereignty to foreign Powers who have anything but our best Interests at Heart;

— Threatened our Industries, driving them from our Shores with oppressive Taxation, repressive Regulation and destructive Litigation;

— Impaired the Autonomy of our States, by improperly restricting their reserved Powers;

— Instituted Policies said to benefit the environment, which surreptitiously diminish the Right to Private Property while enabling Government to control it absolutely;

— Abused Eminent Domain to allow Private Property to be taken for another's personal Benefit, rather than actual public use;

— Tried to re-write our History and destroy our Christian Heritage, by denying its profound Influence and widespread Impact;

— Undermined the Sanctity of Life itself, allowing the continued Destruction of the most Defenseless of innocent Persons who committed no wrong, the unborn Child, while setting the stage to ration care for the Aged and the Infirmed;

— Vilified the domestic Production of Energy, necessary for the advancement of Civilization and reduction of Poverty, while enriching our Enemies who wage War against us;

— Failed to address Immigration Reform, threatening the Rule of Law and restricting the availability of legal Workers;

— Expanded Government into every conceivable aspect of Society such that little is held Sacred from its ever-expanding Reach; and

— Expended massive amounts of government Funds ostensibly to prevent Some from Failing, all but ensuring that few Others will Succeed.

In Support of this Petition, first signed the Fourteenth Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three and of the Two Hundred and Forty-Sixth Year of Independence of the United States of America, We solemnly Pledge before God our Honorable Intention to Restore our Republic by all Lawful and Just Means.

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